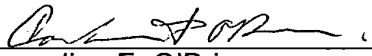


REMARKS

In response to this rejection under 35 USC 112, second paragraph, applicants have amended claims 1, 21 and 28 to more distinctly recite the applicants' invention using the comments by the Examiner. Thus the amended claims 1, 21 and 28 address the issues raised by the Examiner. No new matter has been introduced and the rejections are respectfully requested to be withdrawn.

In light of the above amendments and remarks, reconsideration of this pending application is requested.

Respectfully submitted,



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